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PRESS RELEASE

EVADING ARREST ON VEHICLE / RESISTING ARREST

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On Wednesday March 20, 2013, at 11:38 am, a San Benito Police Officer observed a black Dodge Neon that was allegedly taken without the female owner's consent traveling on the South Frontage Road. The Police Officer then attempted to pull the vehicle over, but the driver refused. The driver then led the Officers on a brief vehicle pursuit thru the downtown area, and bailed out of the vehicle in front of a residence located on the 500 block of East Robertson Street. The male driver then ran north thru several properties but was located hiding under a house by the 100 Block of South Bonham street where he resisted arrest. The subject was identified as 30 year old Luis Herrera out of San Benito. Luis Herrera was then transported to City Jail where he was booked in accordingly. The owner of the vehicle who was identified as the suspect's girlfriend refused to file criminal charges. Luis Herrera is being charged with evading arrest using a motor vehicle (felony), evading arrest on foot (misdemeanor) and resisting arrest. Municipal Judge David Garza arraigned Mr. Herrera and set bonds totaling \$29,000. Mr. Herrera was later transported to the Cameron County Jail.

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